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APPRENTICES AT FARREL CO. SHOP GO OUT ON STRIKE

Ansonia, Aug. 15.—The only change in the strike condition at the Farrel Foundry and Machine Company today, was the addition of about a dozen apprentices to the ranks of the striking machinists.

The plant resumed operations, all other employees, it is understood, except the 124 machinists and the dozen apprentices, reporting at the usual hour. None of the leaders of the strike was here to-day.

It was said that they had gone elsewhere to confer with officers of the International Association of Machinists, who have been conducting strikes in Bridgeport in regard to plans for extension of strike agitation and the principle of the eight hour day throughout the Naugatuck Valley.

At the headquarters of the strikers it was stated that the men started off the new week with confidence in their ability to win.

O'Neill Delegate To Federation Of Labor Convention

John J. O'Neill, for many years organizer of labor unions in this city, was last night endorsed by the Musicians' union as their representative at the Connecticut Federation of Labor Convention to be held in New Haven during the week of Labor Day. The convention will last four days and will begin Tuesday, September 7. Five delegates were chosen from the union to represent it at the big Labor Day celebration which will be held in New Haven this year. Eight new members joined the union last night and plans were discussed for a big concert to be held for the benefit of the union.

OBITUARY

ROSE D. ROUSSEAU.
The body of Mrs. Rose D. Rousseau, who died Friday evening at her home at 795 North Washington avenue, was taken to Holyoke, Mass., yesterday for burial by Funeral Director John F. Gallagher. She is survived by three daughters, Rose and Henrietta who resided with her, and Mrs. Louis Crevier of Montreal, Canada, and a son, Joseph, of Holyoke, Mass.

PERSONAL MENTION

John Joseph and Frederick O'Neill, sons of John J. O'Neill, the labor organizer, left Bridgeport today to begin their autumn season in vaudeville.

Mr. and Mrs. Russell R. Mead and Mr. and Mrs. Aiden M. Fardee have left this city for a two weeks' vacation touring the White Mountains and the New England States. They will return September 1. Mr. Mead is general superintendent of the American Graphophone Co. and Mr. Fardee is foreman of the tool department.

M. J. Dargan, J. F. Kearns and J. H. McCullough, all of this city, have returned from a particularly enjoyable two weeks' sojourn in the Berkshires.

Boys of 17, and men of 52 are now eligible for service in the Austrian army.

Emil Grable, a leper, escaped from the detention hospital at lepers in Washington.

ENGLISH POUND DROPS IN VALUE TO LOW RECORD

New York, Aug. 16.—The English pound sterling fell today to the lowest American value in history. Normal quoted at 4.85 in foreign exchange it opened today at 4.87, a loss of two cents from Saturday's low record of 4.89. Greater demoralization was shown by the foreign exchange market at today's opening than ever recorded here before.

French money, likewise, was weaker than on Saturday. Paris checks were quoted at 5.97, a weakening of seven cents over the Sunday holiday. At this rate it requires almost six francs to buy an American dollar.

CATHOLIC SOCIETIES IN BIG CONVENTION

Toledo, O., Aug. 16.—Delegates to the American Federation of Catholic Societies held the first business meeting of the four day convention today. The session was given over principally to the listing of the delegates of which there are more than 2,000.

At the afternoon session, President John Whalen of New York city is scheduled to read his report and the work of the federation of the coming year will be outlined. In the evening the delegates will be given a lake ride on the steamer Greyhound. Delegates from New York are making an effort to secure the next convention for that city. Following the opening of the convention yesterday with a pontifical mass in St. Francis de Sales cathedral near the city, the delegates began to lay their plans. Toledo is also in the field for the 1916 gathering. The convention which will close on Wednesday, is one of the largest events of its kind ever held here. There are no addresses on the program today. The election of officers is billed for Wednesday.

Miss Eva Booth, S. A. Commander In America, Coming to This City

For the purpose of assisting the campaign to raise \$50,000 to establish a new home for the Salvation Army at 50 Elm street, this city, Miss Eva Booth, commander in America, will soon come to this city. It is proposed to have an auditorium that will seat 600 persons.

NEED ANOTHER MASS AT ST. GABRIEL'S

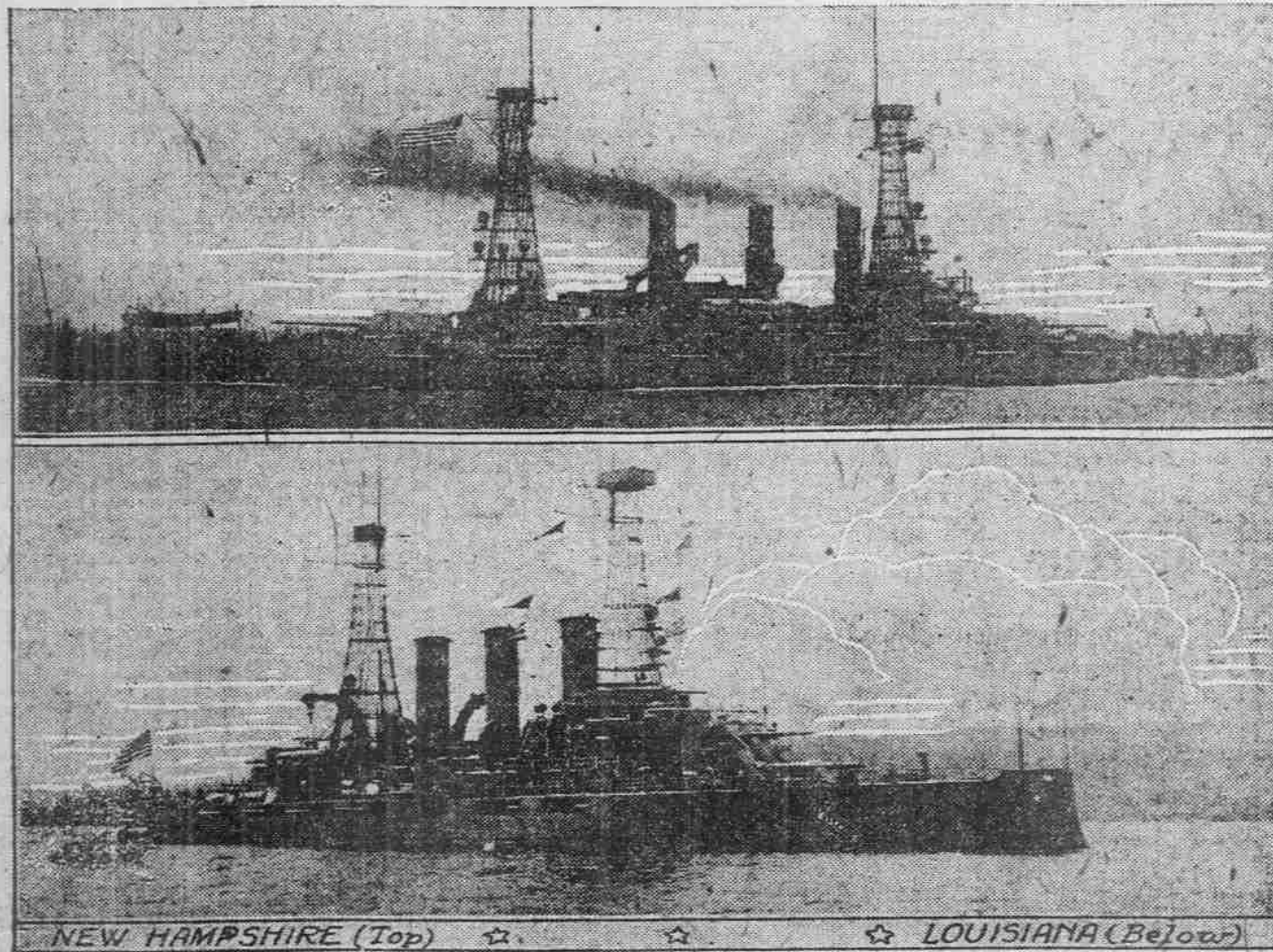
Because more than 200 persons desirous of attending mass at St. Gabriel's church, Walnut Beach, yesterday, were unable to get in owing to the crowds that attended the two masses, it is likely another mass will be added to the schedule at the church. It is expected the hours will be 7:30, 8:30 and 10 o'clock.

HARBOR NOTES

The tug Salutation left three loaded boats here this morning and the John Garrett came in with one loaded boat last night.

The George B. McCaffrey brought three loaded boats yesterday and the Alvin R. Richmond went out with one loaded one for New York.

BATTLESHIPS, DESTINATION A SECRET, READY FOR ANY EMERGENCY THAT MAY ARISE IN MEXICO



NEW HAMPSHIRE (Top) ☆ ☆ ☆ LOUISIANA (Below)

The navy department announced that while the battleships Louisiana and New Hampshire had left Newport and proceeded south their destination had not been determined. It all depended on developments in Vera Cruz. The ships, it was said, might be deflected to Guantanamo or may be put into Hampton Roads. The sailing orders were to "proceed to southern waters."

STRATFORD WILL HAVE CONSTABLE FOR CAR ROWDIES

Special Policeman Will Suppress Fresh Young Men Who Disturb Peace

(Special to The Farmer.)
Stratford, Aug. 16.—A special constable for the purpose of suppressing car rowdies will be appointed by the selectmen of Stratford and the Connecticut Co. promises to pay more than half the cost of his expenses. Superintendent Charles H. Chapman of the company appeared at the meeting of the selectmen Saturday night and detailed the offenses committed by rowdies on cars passing through Stratford. He said that if a special constable is appointed to take these persons off the cars and arrest them, the company will agree to meet more than half the expenses. The selection of the constable has not yet been made. Simon Lake, of the Lake Torpedo Boat Co., appeared before the selectmen and petitioned that several years' interest on unpaid taxes of the Lake Aerodrome be abated. He said the park has had no business for several years. The matter was laid on the table.

The Stratford Women's Suffrage association will meet Wednesday at the home of Mrs. Charles Lay, Putney. Mrs. Annie G. Porritt and Mrs. Mary Wade Rogers will be the principal speakers.

Hayes Fish Market Located 33 Years On Water Street

One of the oldest and most flourishing mercantile establishments of this city is the Hayes Fish Market of 629 Water street, just south of Fairfield avenue. Thirty-three years ago, the market was established at its present location but under circumstances far different from the present up-to-date market. Where the building now stands was a vacant lot with a bill-board on it and a portion of this advertising medium was roofed over, some windows cut into it and there started the business that has grown successfully with each year. In 1892 it was incorporated as the Hayes Fish Co., under which name it has continued. Jesse M. Hayes is now its proprietor. The Hayes Fish Market is widely known for the superior quality of the fish it has always carried. It is patronized not only by discriminating housewives for a radius of many miles about Bridgeport, but also furnishes the seafood for the high class hotels and restaurants of the Housatonic valley, and along the shore as far west as Greenwich where one of the best known hotels has a large daily order from the local firm.

PRESIDENT TOO BUSY TO GO TO N. Y. CAMPS

Washington, Aug. 16.—President Wilson will not visit the citizen soldier camp at Plattsburgh, N. Y., because he feels public business forbids him to leave Washington at this time. He has written Major General Leonard Wood who invited him to the camp expressing his regret and his interest in the movement.

PITTSBURGH STRIKE ENDS

Pittsburgh, Pa., Aug. 16.—Seven hundred men thrown out of employment by a strike and lock out growing out of a dispute between the plasterers and lathers unions, will return to work today. This action was agreed upon after all parties concerned in the dispute had agreed, through the efforts of the state bureau of mediation and conciliation, to arbitrate the questions involved.

Street Cleaner's Wife Is Missing

A report was received at police headquarters last night that Albert G. Baker, 745 East Main street, an employee of the street cleaning department, informing the authorities that his wife had been missing since Tuesday morning last. She was dressed in black when last seen.

DECLARES 10,000 MACHINISTS HAVE GONE TO ENGLAND

President Johnston Says That Many Have Gone Abroad in 10 Weeks.

For the third time within a week a representative of the English Government went yesterday to the headquarters of the International Association of Machinists, 116 Nassau St., New York, and asked for American mechanics to do war work in England. The British agents are especially busy at this time in view of the possibility that strikes in the eight hour campaign of the metal workers may make more mechanics available for work across the seas. J. Johnston, president of the International Association of Machinists, said later that in the 10 weeks 10,000 American machinists had gone to England, most of them on a six-month contract at \$5.50 a day with bonuses. He said there was a standing order for as many more, but they could be obtained because of the manufacture of war munitions in the United States.

While most of the American mechanics were at work in English munitions shops and navy yards, hundreds had been put to work on English ships, some of them in the Dardanelles, Mr. Johnston said. He asserted that not few of the American mechanics had been slain by the Germans, and that the question of pensions for their families was to be taken up with the British Government.

Labor officials announced that with a few weeks the metal trade workers in all of the United States navy yards and arsenals would demand an increase in pay varying from 15 to 25 per cent. The men in the Washington Navy Yard asked for a 25 per cent increase. The men in the Government shops now have the eight hour day.

This move by the machinists is taken at a time when they believe the Government regards its military equipment as so important that it will take no chance of industrial trouble. "I believe there will be no strike in the navy yards," said J. J. Kepler, vice-president of the machinists. "I believe our demands will be granted by the Government. That is all taken up with the Federal officials direct in Washington, and I expect quick results."

Only the heads of the Navy and Army Departments know just how seriously the country would be affected by a strike in the navy yards and armories. At least, two dreadnoughts would be delayed in completion and two others in outfitting, and there would be a tie-up of repair and maintenance work, all of which could not be shifted to private shops without peremptory action by the Government.

Performs Autopsy On Conlin's Body

Medical Examiner S. M. Garlick is performing an autopsy on the body of John Conlin, 19 years of age, an employee of the Lake Torpedo Boat Co., with rooms at the Central house, who was overcome with an attack of heart failure while passing the Brass shop lot at Pembroke and Willard streets at 8:20 yesterday morning. At the Bridgeport hospital, where Conlin died, it is believed that he was suffering from an overdose of morphine. Mrs. Anna Frazier, a sister of the deceased, living at 1,039 Washington avenue, New York city, arrived in this city this afternoon to claim the body.

NEWTOWN

Deputy Sheriff Morris D. Beers has served the papers in the suit of E. N. Sipperry of Southport against Edmund and Martha Skiff of Botsford Hill. The plaintiff sues for \$1,000 on an unpaid note.

The St. Rose's Dramatic society have received a pressing invitation from the people of Monroes to present the play, "All Hanged Up" in that town. It is likely the society will appear there soon.

Many of St. Rose's parishioners will attend the dance in Cutler's hall, Long Hill, Wednesday, August 18, for the benefit of St. Stephen's Mission church.

NAVAL RESERVES LEAVE TOMORROW TO TRY BIG GUNS

Prepared For Practice Trip to Chesapeake on Battleship Kentucky.

Members of the Third Division, Naval Reserve, C. N. G., are prepared for their early march in this city tomorrow, entrainment for New Haven and embarkation on the battleship Kentucky, which will convey them to Tangier on the Chesapeake river, Virginia. After maneuvers with other ships in the fleet, recently issued orders will take the Kentucky to Portland, Me., where it is expected that big gun practice will be held.

Although some disappointment was expressed by the members today at not going to the Bahamas as originally planned by the naval board there is a feeling today that the orders may again be changed and the ship taken into southern waters. Keen anxiety is also felt over the Mexican and Haytian situations and a number of the men express themselves as anxious to be in the vicinity of the trouble should it arrive.

The men will assemble early tomorrow morning in regulation marching order taking the 8:28 train from this city, which will carry special troop cars.

JOHNNIE COULON, NOT FIGHT CHAMP, IN COURT

Johnnie Coulon, champion train rider of South Manchester, Conn., was arraigned in City court to-day charged with trespassing on railroad property. Judge Wilder suspended a jail sentence of 10 days and advised Coulon to give up train riding as a profession and follow the footsteps of his name sake if he decided to make an easy living.

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